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SUBJECT: EXTRADITION BILL

REF: (A) SAN JOSE 1100, (B) SAN JOSE 1098

1. SUMMARY. DEPARTMENT CONCURS IN APPROACH TO SOLORZANO ON LINES INDICATED REFTEL (A). ONLY ADDITIONAL POINT IS TO MAKE CLEAR THAT USG WILL SEEK FORMAL CLARIFICATION OF IMPACT OF BILL ON BILATERAL EXTRADITION RELATIONS AND COSTA RICA'S CAPABILITY IN HIJACKING, TERRORISM AND NARCOTICS AREAS IF IT BECOMES LAW.

2. DEPARTMENT CONCURS THAT CHARGE GO IN TO SEE SOLORZANO BEFORE BILL IS SIGNED AND MAKE APPROACH RECOMMENDED REFTEL IN LAST ATTEMPT TO DISCOURAGE ENACTMENT. IN VIEW LIMITED PROSPECTS FOR SUCCESS, HOWEVER, WE BELIEVE THAT, TO MAKE CLEAR USG WILL KEEP PRESSING AFTER ENACTMENT, APPROACH SHOULD ALSO FORESHADOW OUR INTENTION TO INSTRUCT YOU TO GO IN BY FORMAL NOTE AND REQUEST EXPLANATION OF IMPACT OF LAW, BOTH ON EXTRADITION RELATIONS BETWEEN U.S.AND COSTA RICA UNDER EXISTING TREATY AND TREATY UNDER  
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NEGOTIATION AND ON INTERNATIONAL EFFORTS TO COMBAT

HIJACKING, TERRORISM AND NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING. NOTE  
WILL NOT ADDRESS IMPACT ON VESCO CASE, BUT WE ANTICIPATE  
MUCH OF U.S. PUBLIC AND PRESS ATTENTION WILL FOCUS ON  
THAT CASE.

3. WASHINGTON PRESS GUIDANCE WILL FOLLOW. KISSINGER

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